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PORT ARTHUR AGAIN BOMBARDED

Heavy Engagement on Tuesday. One Russian Battleship Destroyed.
Seven Japanese Casualties.

FORCES MASSING FOR MANCHURIAN CAMPAIGN.

Coreans Annihilate a Troop of the Celebrated Cossacks in Northern
Corea. Japanese Forces Stretch Across the Peninsula.
With Advance Posts.

Port Arthur Again Bombarded.

London, March 23.—A dispatch from Tokio says the Japanese fleet, under Admiral Togo, made another attack on Port Arthur on March 22. A furious bombardment of the city and its defenses was effected. The Russian fleet proceeded outside the inner harbor and engaged the enemy, a desperate battle being fought.

One Russian battleship was destroyed.
The Japanese casualties reported number only seven.
There is no information regarding the condition of the Japanese fleet. The navy department has not been advised of this engagement, but evidently expects news.

Russians Pushing Preparations

Chefoo, March 23.—A foreigner who left Vladivostok on the 13th arrived here yesterday, coming by rail to Port Arthur. He states that supplies are plentiful in the northern port and ammunition is arriving freely. The garrison is numbered at 12,000.

On the way between Harbin and Taisihar he passed several trains, loaded with heavy guns and ammunition being pushed to the front. At the latter place earthworks have been thrown up and guns mounted under cover of them.

String of Forts Across Corea.

Mukden, March 23.—The Russian patrols have reconnoitred Corea as far south as the fourth parallel.

The officers report unanimously that the Japanese are establishing strong fortifications on a large scale right across the Corea peninsula, between Anju and Port Taisihar, the narrowest part of the peninsula, with advanced positions at Genchong and Hambang, to secure their rear should their campaign in Manchuria prove unsuccessful.

Russians Inside the Wall.

Shanghai, March 23.—I have just arrived here from an unauthorized trip along the railroad. Thirty-five thousand troops in three divisions, are now massed under General Maerstrodt, two outside and one inside the great wall.

Port Arthur Attacked Last Night.

New York, March 23.—The World publishes the following cable from St. Petersburg: "A Russian official dispatch says that the Japanese fleet delivered an attack on Port Arthur last night (Tuesday) and this morning, and then withdrew."

Tokio, March 23.—The Kodumin today reports that in the fight at Port Arthur on March 22nd, another battleship was sunk. The Japanese lost no ships, but had two engineers killed.

No further details have been received.
Raleubo mentions this report as current there.

Coreans Annihilate Russian Troop.

New York, March 23.—A dispatch to the Sun from Seoul says: "While scouting forty Cossacks arrived at King Kem, about one hundred miles north of Gensou, where two battalions of Corean troops are stationed."

The Russians demanded the use of the barracks for their troops who were about to arrive. The Corean commander offered one building, whereupon a quarrel ensued, followed by a fight.

The Corean commander announces that the Russians were almost exterminated, 35 being slain. Seventeen Coreans were killed and 29 wounded.

Troops Massing for Gigantic Struggle.

Nagasaki, March 23.—The Japanese war office has now completed all details for the movement of the main column in the invasion of Manchuria.

A great force has been massed for the advance upon Harbin, starting from the mouth of the Tumen River, below Poesiet.

Heavy columns will also be concentrated north of Ping Yeng for an offensive movement against the line on the Yalu River. The foremost Japanese force in Northern Corea occupies a position north from Anju towards Nickok, along some fifty miles of the Yalu River. Russian reinforcements are believed to be constantly arriving at Harbin.

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ELECTRIC LIGHT EXTENSION

Mass Meeting in Robertson Hall Discussed The New
By-Law And Approved Of It.

A fair sized audience turned out to the public meeting in Robertson hall last night to discuss the by-law providing for raising \$50,000 to extend the municipal lighting plant.

Mayor Short outlined briefly the reasons this sum is being asked for. The plant put in a year ago is already carrying over five thousand lights, more lights than it could carry if they all happened to be turned on at once. Mr. Ormsby had made a canvass of the town and estimated that 3,000 more lights could be sold at once. The town and estimated that 3,000 more lights could be sold at once. The town and estimated that 3,000 more lights could be sold at once.

A balance of probably \$10,000 would be left and could be used for further extensions if needed in future. Mr. McNaughton had made estimates of the charges for power and estimated that a passenger elevator would cost \$292 per day, a freight hoist about \$76. If power could be supplied at this low rate, Mr. Worship believed many small

manufactories in town would use it in preference to gasoline and steam. The by-law requires a two-thirds majority to carry and he hoped the rate-payers would turn out and heartily support it.

Coun. Picard, said that while the amount asked for seemed a large one, the extensions were needed if the requirements of the town were to be met. Coun. May favored extending the plant. To his mind it was a question of having our city in darkness. "The goods are wanted and why not supply them?" was his way of looking at it. The present system was paying and he believed the extension would pay as well if not better. He thought the demand for additional lights this year would be nearer 6,000 than 3,000.

Dr. McInnis said he had no word to say against the by-law, but wanted to know how the money was to be spent. He outlined a plan for establishing a new power house near a mine where coal could be bought much cheaper and claimed that the saving in the price of coal would pay

for the expense of transmitting the electricity to town and effect a large saving. According to the figures quoted, if we make the proposed extension at the end of the year we would only have 2,000 reserve light power. It would be better to spend more and have light for a long time ahead than to have to extend again next year.

Mayor Short in reply said he had investigated and found in the east that the loss in transmitting electricity was greater than the percentage given, but the matter would undoubtedly be gone into carefully by the council before any action in the matter was taken.

Councillor Cushing thought that if any alterations were made the old machines on hand should be sold and up-to-date machines installed. He thought we should go slow at present in the matter of expenditure. Our total debt is \$350,000, of which \$255,000 are unsold debentures. He thought the better course would be to postpone the extension for the present and make an effort to dispose of the unsold debentures. It concerned the permanent prosperity of the town more that our credit be kept good than that we meet every demand in a time of progress.

Mayor Short replied briefly, outlining the financial position of the town, which he said was unequalled by any town in Canada having our resources and prospects. He thought Mr. Cushing took rather an alarmist view of matters. T. W. Lines said that while on the side of progress he would oppose the by-law because he was not sure that the wishes of the electors would be acted on by the council. He thought a plan which a year after installation is found out-of-date, did not speak highly for the ability of the

men at the head of affairs, and because the debentures issued eighteen months ago had not been sold, through neglect, he considered.

An expression of opinion of those present was called for, the majority voting in favor of the by-law.

MARCH FUR SALES.

Following are the results of Lamson & Co.'s fur sales, concluded yesterday in London.

Red fox, 5 per cent. lower than last March.

Lynx, 50 per cent. lower than last March.

Otter, 15 per cent. lower than last March.

Wolverine, 35 per cent. lower than last March.

Mink, 7 per cent. lower than last March.

Marten, 20 per cent. lower than last March.

Black bear, 40 per cent. lower than last March.

Brown bear, 40 per cent. lower than last March.

Fisher, 35 per cent. lower than last March.

Cross fox, 27 1/2 per cent. lower than last March.

Silver fox, 49 per cent. over than last March.

Moskrat, 25 per cent. lower than last January.

Wolf, 15 per cent. higher than last March.

THE WEATHER.

March 24th.

Maximum temperature 12.

Minimum temperature -23.

Noon, 10.

Barometer, 30.29.

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THURSDAY, MARCH 24TH, 1904.

FARMERS OPPOSE THE CHANGE.

The following petition relative to the new Local Improvement Ordinance has been circulated in the Clover Farm district and signed by a very large number of the settlers in the district:

To the Honorable the Commissioner of Public Works, Regina:

We, the undersigned electors of Division No. 5, Local Improvement District 27-B-4, Township 33-24, W. 4th, do hereby petition His Honor, the Commissioner of Public Works, that our Local Improvement District be restored to its former separate status, and as a reason for this our humble petition we would submit the following facts:

1. That the old system was satisfactory and under the same we were getting our roads in good condition.
 2. That under the new system we are required to pay a cash tax, which at the present time would cause a hardship to many, especially to new settlers.
 3. That under the new system there is a multiplication of officers and a consequent increase of expenses, for which there is no equivalent in improvement of roads.
 4. That we are well equipped with road machinery for which we have paid, and which will benefit the property of the new district.

TEMPERATURE.

The local W. C. T. U. commemorated the anniversary of the death of Neal How on Tuesday, by arranging a temperance meeting in McDougall church, Prof. Riddell being the lecturer of the evening.
 Rev. A. MacDonald occupied the chair. Owing, probably to conflicting engagements, the audience was not very large.
 Rev. C. H. Huestis opened the meeting with prayer, after which the Alberta college male quartette gave a selection.
 Professor Riddell discussed the temperance problem in a most interesting manner, speaking for about an hour. At the close of the lecture Mrs. Simeon and Mrs. Cushing sang a duet, and Miss Potter a solo, both selections being much appreciated.
 A vote of thanks was passed to Prof. Riddell for his lecture.

COUNCILLORS ELECTED.

The following four councillors have been elected for Local Improvement District 27-B-4:
 F. C. Claire, Belmont.
 Turnbull Allan, Rose Hill.
 Edward Hogan, St. Albert.
 John Harold, Jr., Poplar Lake.
 The election of the fifth councillor has not yet been reported.
 The council meets on Friday, April 1st, at 7 p.m. in the town hall, Edmonton.

SEED OATS.

The Board of Trade has received the following communication from the Deputy Minister of Agriculture at Ottawa:
 "At the request of Mr. Frank Oliver, M.P., I have been communicating with you in reference to the oats purchased and inspected by the Department for the Edmonton Board of Trade.
 "The officer of the department at Brandon who is looking after the purchase of the oat seed there, will advise me as soon as that ear leaves; when I will communicate with you.
 The following are the particulars in regard to the two ears of Ontario oats:

Baggs Bros. Ltd.,
 Car No. 23988 C.P.R. 370 1065 18
 Car No. 23938 C.P.R. 355 1011 6

725 2079 24
 "The oats were inspected at Leest Hill, Ontario, by an officer of the department, who reports that they are of first-class quality for seed. The order for the oats was placed by the department with W. H. Dwyer of this city.
 "The bags in part of the shipment weigh 96 pounds and in the rest 102 pounds. A sample of each lot is being sent by mail so that they may

be identified when they are being unloaded. One small lot of 131 bushels was taken in from the car. That lot is marked "W" for Waverley. A sample of that lot is also being sent by post.

"I have your wire of the 14th inst., stating that your board is not open for more cats at present. This was in reply to my wire of the 12th inst., stating that two more carloads of oat seed Banner oats could be purchased. I trust that the oats sent will reach you in due time, and will turn out satisfactory.

"A risk composed of Messrs. McCurdy, Sinclair, Nairn and Whitehead representing the firm of Whitehead & Nairn, were defeated on Tuesday evening by Messrs. White, Secord, Kelly and Thom, of the firm of McDougall and Secord. Score, 13 to 4.

WETASKIWIN RACING ASSOCIATION.

At a largely attended meeting of the sporting fraternity of Wetaskiwin Saturday, Ed. Dickson in the chair, it was decided to form an Agricultural Racing Association, to be known as the Wetaskiwin Turf and Agricultural Association, Limited. Arrangements are being made to join the Northwest circuit, commencing at Edmonton on the 30th June, and finishing at Medicine Hat in time to take in the Winnipeg fair. Purse amounting to \$2,000 will be hung in Wetaskiwin on the 4th, and 5th of July.

The Northwest racing circuit expects to have \$20,000 to offer in horse money. This, added to the Winnipeg and Brandon fairs, ought to come up to nearly the \$70,000 mark.

CLOVER BAR.

(Bulletin Correspondence).
 Weather warm and bright after some days of storm and cold—the worst of the season.

The exciting event of the past week has been the municipal election. The councillors known to be elected so far are W. P. Stevens, of Clover Bar; P. C. Hamilton, of East Clover Bar; Wm. Walker, of Agriculture; Jas. H. Heacock, of Fairmount; Partridge Hills not heard from.

Mr. Albert Walker, of Agriculture, has accepted a position in the store at Hortownville.
 At a very important meeting held at Mr. Peter Andrew's residence on Saturday, the 19th inst., for the purpose of electing a school board for the newly formed district of East Clover Bar, which resulted in the election of Messrs. John Reynolds, J. Williams, and Dwin Lint. The vote in this district was carried without a dissenting voice.

On Friday, the 18th inst., a large sale was held at the farm of Mr. Jas. Adamson. Prices realized for horses and stock were good, the bidding being keen. The only item which can be considered cheap was the land, which went at \$15 per acre, a low price considering the locality and quality of the land.

Mr. Hugh Martin, of East Clover Bar, has taken a position with Mr. John Schreder.
 Mr. Thos. Jackson has under construction a large barn, which, when completed, will be a credit to the locality.
 Mr. Albert Ottewill has returned home from the lumber camp of Mr. D. R. Fraser, up the Saskatchewan. Stock is wintering very well, considering the unusual severity of the winter and very few losses have occurred. Feed is plentiful.

Mr. Wm. Ottewill, who is in the hospital at Edmonton, is, we are glad to hear, gradually improving in health.

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The line-up of the teams was as follows:

Jardine	Goal.	Jasper.
Ranton	Point.	Goodridge
Till	Cover Point.	Morden
Gilmere	Centre.	Burton
G. Morris	Right Wing.	Collins
McKinnon	Left Wing.	Blatchford
		Sexton

POPLAR LAKE

(Correspondence.)

On Saturday, March 19th, the annual meeting of the ratepayers of the local improvement district of Poplar Lake was held in the school-house. The object of this meeting was to elect a councillor in accordance with the new ordinance.

The district was fairly well represented, there being sixteen ratepayers present.

Messrs. John Kennedy, John Carnegie and John Harrold, jr., were the three candidates nominated. The result of the election was:

John Harrold, jr., 9 votes.
John Kennedy, 5 votes.
John Carnegie, 2 votes.

Hence John Harrold, jr., was declared elected.

After this meeting a report was read by the retiring overseer, Mr. G. Sutherland, of last year's work.

After a lengthy discussion on various items of importance regarding district affairs, a hearty vote of thanks was unanimously tendered to Mr. Sutherland for the able and efficient manner in which he performed the duties for the district's benefit last year.

NO LICENSE AT LLOYDMINSTER.

On Sunday week after the close of the evening service at Lloydminster, the Rev. G. E. Lloyd, Chaplain to the British colony, asked for an expression of opinion as to license or no license at Lloydminster. The service had been largely attended and the vote stood ten to one in favor of no license. A public meeting was therefore called, and was held on Tuesday night last, when no license was carried without a dissenting voice. A petition to that effect is now being prepared to go before the Governor-in-Council asking that effect may be given to these votes to exclude the liquor traffic for three years.

This information has been furnished to the Bulletin by George Exton Lloyd, chairman of the village council.

IMPOUNDED.

Large dark red cow, right horn broken, bob-tail.

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Six Sets of Mexican hand-carved Military Brush Sets,

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CIGARETTE DEBATE

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Debate Not Concluded. Parties Not Divided, but Considerable Approximation Exists

(Bulletin Special Dispatch.)

Ottawa, March 23.—The resolution of Mr. McLeod, Liberal member for Hamilton, "That it is expedient to introduce a bill to prohibit the manufacture and sale of cigarettes," was discussed this afternoon.

The debate was not concluded at six o'clock, when the order of business changed and other matters were taken up.

Richmond, a Conservative, seconded the resolution. Holmes, Oliver, and several others supported the resolution. Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Oiler, and others opposed.

Mr. Goyette is the youngest member of the house. He is 23 years old. He speaks good English and made a witty and pleasing speech. Being a cigarette smoker, he offered himself as evidence that the effects were not altogether so bad as had been represented.

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IN BRAYDON, MANITOBA

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The victim is a middle aged man and is supposed to have accompanied a car of cattle to the city, but the remains are not yet identified.

NEWS OF THE WORLD

Condensed Dispatches Dealing With the Day's Most Important Happenings.

NEW JOB FOR WHYTE.

Wm. Whyte, second vice-president of the C. P. R., has been offered the management of the great Trans-Canadian road.

ATTEMPT A FAILURE.

A dispatch from London this morning says that radium treatment of cancer has been abandoned.

STEAMER IS SAFE.

A Vancouver dispatch from Skeena River states that the missing steamer Queen is safely anchored near there with her tail-shaft broken.

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REPRIMANDS THE INDIANS.

President Roosevelt, in a speech, dealt severely with the Oklahoma Indians for horse racing, gambling and laziness.

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Secretary-Treasurer of the Board of Trade, in receipt of a letter from Rev. Lloyd, of Lloydminster, announcing that parties of golfers coming during March and April will go by way of Saskatoon, and those that follow in May, June and July, by way of Edmonton.

—Mr. Vernon Barford's pupils give their 37th recital tonight in the All Saints' school-room at a quarter past eight. They will be assisted by Mr. Tom Kelly, who will sing three numbers, including a new song recently written for him by Mr. Barford.

—Winnipeg Telegram: "Shipman's Comedians gave their audience at the Winnipeg theatre Saturday night, hours of entertainment that kept them either deeply interested or heartily amused all the time. Bert Harvey, who appears in a number of comic songs, was deservedly encoored at every turn, while the charming May Courtney held the audience all her own way as long as she cared to hold the stage." Shipman's Comedians appear under the auspices of the Edmonton hockey club. A large turnout should reward the club's enterprise.

—Mr. Piase, of the Winnipeg Free Press, has been in town several days in the interests of his paper. The council of Strathcona and Edmonton united in advertising the advantages of this route for future immigrants en route to the British colony. A page advertisement was contracted for four issues of the Saturday Free Press, and is appearing in the current numbers. The advertisement sets forth in concise form the advantages of the Edmonton route, and it is expected large numbers of future immigrants will take the down stream water route in preference to the long trip from Saskatoon by land.

—The annual Provincial Sunday school convention for Alberta is to be held in Calgary on Tuesday and Wednesday, the 5th and 6th of April. An excellent program has been prepared and delegates from schools will be provided with entertainment if the numbers are sent to Mr. E. H. Crandell, Calgary. It is expected that quite a number will go from Edmonton. Arrangements have been made with the C. P. R. for reduced rates on the railways.

PERSONAL

T. S. Reid left today for his ranch at Verreille.

W. S. Robertson left for Star this morning.

NEW BLOUSES NOW IN TRANSIT

To make room we must clear out last Season's Stock before arrival of the new

Last year's White Blouses are just about as nice as the new ones coming; and if we did not tell you they were last Season's you would not know it.

But that's not our way. These Blouses are now on our bargain counter, at prices at which it will pay you to buy, and buy quick.

Blouses worth \$3.50 and \$3.00 for \$2.00 \$3.00 and \$2.50 for \$1.50 \$2.50 for \$1.25 \$1.25 for \$0.75

There also a few Flannelette blouses, present season's stock, which will be cleared at similar reductions in prices. There is still a couple of months cool weather in which these may be worn, during which time you can get the worth of your money out of them.

The number left is comparatively small. Better see about it at once.

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DON'T FORGET that Good Friday will soon be here.

We are now taking orders for Hot Cross Buns, to be delivered in time for BREAKFAST on Good Friday morning.

Order early to avoid disappointment

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We are now receiving regular shipments of Fine House Plants. Call and see them at—

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Fruiters and Confectioners

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Coal promptly delivered to any part of the city.

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Spare stock in Light Brahma, Black Langshans, Cornish Indian Game, Colored Dorkings, Buff and White Rocks, Black Minorcas.

My stock took 30 prizes at the late poultry show. And are from the best strains in America.

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TENDERS FOR THE DELIVERY OF Twenty thousand (20,000) ties, and One thousand (1,000) Poles will be received by the undersigned for Street Railway poles until May 1st, 1904.

Ties to be of the standard railway size and pattern, and to be delivered along Jasper and Namayo Avenues, 5,000 by July 1st, 5,000 by August 1st, and the remainder as called for.

Poles to be Thirty (30) feet long and not less than seven (7) inches at the small end. To be delivered along Jasper and Namayo Avenues between July 1st, and August 31st, 1904, as called for.

Tenders to specify Spruce, Cedar, Tam, and Jack Pine, with separate figures on each kind of material.

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Any person desiring Fire insurance, in town or country, would do well to see me.

I represent three of the best companies. Everybody should be insured against Fire.

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